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The Political Field Through Asa Packer's Glasses.

The Home of the Democratic Millionaire—Two Conversations with a Son Correspondent—Warriors of the Judge—He is not a man of the people.

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JUDGE PACKER'S ACCOUNT OF THE COAL STRIKE.

Reporter—You are an extensive coal miner I believe, Judge Packer.

Judge Packer—I was formerly, but when I became a coal carrier I ceased to be a coal miner.

Reporter—Then as a carrier you are still interested in the production of coal?

Judge Packer—Certainly I am; but not merely as a carrier and an extensive consumer, but as an individual interested to see such an indispensable article as coal at a price compatible with the interests of the laboring miner, the shipper, and the consumer.

Reporter—There is a question which I presume is not political in its nature which has troubled the New York community considerably, and I suppose other coal consuming communities equally of late, which is the long and disastrous strike among the miners during the past summer. Can you give me a brief history, origin and history?

Judge Packer—The first strike occurred in May last among the miners of the Schuylkill mines, the Lehigh region, and a part of those of Luzerne. The origin of this movement was a dispute among the miners of the Lehigh region as to the amount of wages to be paid for the work done during the past season. The miners there have been paid by the wagon load, and so on, and the prices paid at different mines varied as greatly. Subsequently, other mining regions became involved in the strike, and the movement became pretty general.

Reporter—How would you remedy these evils?

Judge Packer—I would exercise my right of free speech, and would not hesitate to show the executive prerogative of the veto against all such laws as would deprive the citizen of his property.

Reporter—Do you understand you do not aspire to the gubernatorial nomination?

Judge Packer—Distinctly so. I never have changed the position I took in my Chambersburg letter, which was that, while I had no aspirations to the office of Governor, yet if the nomination should be voluntarily tendered me by my fellow citizens, I would feel it my duty to accept, although at the sacrifice of my personal interests. I have always held that the State and my country have claims paramount to mere personal considerations.

Reporter—Are you devoting much of your time to the canvass?

Judge Packer—But very little. The question of my election now rests with